

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :

John Crescenti et al.

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MODULAR BACKUP AND RETRIEVAL SYSTEM

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 15, 2005, please enter the following. A request for an extension of time is filed herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

Formal drawings for Figs. 3, 7 and 8 are attached hereto.